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## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition for an extension of ONE (1) month to respond to the Office Action mailed on February 17, 2005.

Because of this extension the time period for response will expire on June 17, 2005. Filed herewith is Amendment.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 14-1270 in the amount of \$110.00 the fee for this extension; and charge any additional fees except for the Issue Fee, and credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 14-1270.

Respectfully submitted,

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